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FEES CALCULATION: For claims if required and/or other fees as shown below:

	NOW	Previously Paid For	Present Extra	Rate	\$
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> TOTAL CLAIMS	7	- 20	0	X \$ 50 =	0
<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	1	- 3	0	X \$ 200 =	0
TOTAL OF ABOVE CLAIMS FEES =					
<input type="checkbox"/> Reduction by 1/2 for small entity status of applicant					
SUBTOTAL =					0
<input type="checkbox"/> Fee for extension of time (per attached Petition)					
<input type="checkbox"/> Other fee for					
TOTAL OF ALL FEES =					0

☐ Payment by credit card. FORM PTO-2038 in the amount of \$ is attached.

- ☒ The Director is authorized to charge any fee, additional fee or extension fee due in connection herewith to Deposit Account No. 12-0555:
- (1) if no payment or an insufficient payment is enclosed and a fee is due in connection herewith; or
 - (2) if no petition for extension of time is enclosed but an EOT is required - and in this event, applicant hereby petitions under 37 CFR 1.136(a) for an extension of time of as many months as are required to render this submission timely.

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PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

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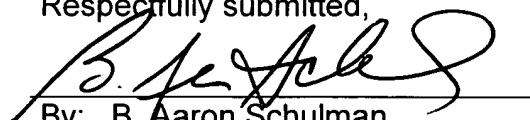
In response to the Advisory Action dated October 2, 2006, and in conjunction with Applicants' RCE filed on October 17, 2006, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

- **Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of the claims provided herewith in **Attachment A**.
- **Remarks** to this amendment are presented herewith in **Attachment B**.

In view of the amendments made and the remarks provided, it is submitted that the present application has now been placed in condition for allowance.

Respectfully submitted,

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